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SUBJ: FALL 1973 NORTHATLANTIC ASSEMBLY MILITARY TOUR

SACLANT FOR ADMIRAL COUSINS

SHAPE FOR GENERAL GOODPASTER

1. I HAVE RECEIVED FROM NORTH ATLANTIC ASSEMBLY (NAA)
SECRETARY GENERAL DESHORMES SCHEDULE (SEE BELOW) FOR FALL 1973
NAA MILITARY TOUR, WHICH IS BEING ORGANIZED BY SHAPE. IN
HIS LETTER TRANSMITTING THE SCHEDULE, DESHORMES POINTED OUT
THAT TOUR WORLD INCLUDE HOLY LOCH AND KEFLAVIK AND ASKED THAT
I REQUEST THE BASE AUTHORITIES TO MAKE THESE VISITS AS USEFUL
AS POSSIBLE.

2. AS A FORMER MEMBER OF CONGRESS, I AM PARTICULARLY CONSCIOUS
OF THE NEED TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR NATO PARLIAMENTARIANS
TO UNDERSTAND THE ALLIANCE'S MILITARY OPERATIONS. I
BELIEVE THAT THIS YEAR' S NAA MILITARY TOUR WILL MAKE AN
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IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THIS UNDERSTANDING AND I HOPE THAT ALL US MILITARY PERSONNEL INVOLVED WILL DO THEIR BEST TO ENSURE THAT THE TOUR IS SUCCESS. THEIR COOPERATION WILL BE APPRECIATED.

3. FOLLOWING IS SCHEDULE AS RECEIVED FROM DESHORMES:

DATE	ACTIVITY
SUNDAY, SEPT. 2	ASSEMBLE IN BRUSSELS
MONDAY, SEPT. 3	AM SHAPE BRIEFINGS
	PM FLY TO OSLO
TUESDAY, SEPT. 4	BRIEFING BY AFNORTH AND NOWEGIAN GOVERNMENT
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5	AM FLY TO COPENHAGEN
	PM BRIEFING BY DANISH GOVERNMENT
THURSDAY, SEPT. 6	SUGGESTED VISITS TO KIEL AND BORNHOLM
FRIDAY, SEPT. 7	FLY TO DARUP - VISIT KARUP
	FLY ON TO BERGEN
SATURDAY, SEPT. 8	AM VISIT BERGEN
	PM FLY TO NORTHERN NORWAY
SUNDAY, SEPT. 9	FREE DAY
MONDAY, SEPT. 10	SUGGESTED VISITS TO BANAK AND KIRKENES
TUESDAY, SEPT. 11	FLY TO ANDOYA - VISIT ANDOYA
	FLY ON TO REYKJAVIK
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12	BRIEFING BY ICELANDIC GOVERNMENT VISIT KEFLAVIK
THURSDAY, SEPT. 13	FLY TO HOLY LOCH - VISIT HOLY LOCH
	FLY ON TO LONDON
FRIDAY, SEPT. 14	BRIEFINGS BY BRITISH GOVERNMENT AND CINCHAN
SATURDAY, SEPT. 15	DISPERSE

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